

INFORMATION BULLETIN

JOB TRAINING PARTNERSHIP ACT

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TO: SERVICE DELIVERY AREA ADMINISTRATORS
PRIVATE INDUSTRY COUNCIL CHAIRPERSONS
JTPD PROGRAM OPERATORS
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SUBJECT: CALIFORNIA WORKERS' ASSISTANCE PROGRAM BUILDING
PARTNERSHIPS CONFERENCE

This information bulletin is to encourage the Service Delivery Areas (SDA) to send Private Industry Council (PIC) labor representatives to the forthcoming eighth annual conference of the California Labor Federation Workers' Assistance Program.

Under the leadership of the California Labor Federation, AFL-CIO, the California Workers' Assistance Program (CWAP) promotes and maintains a vital partnership link between labor organizations and the job training system throughout the State. This linkage ensures that the job training system makes full and effective use of labor's employment and training resources for the revitalization of the State's economy. The CWAP is funded by a Title III 40 percent grant through the Job Training Partnership Division (JTPD) and the California Employment Training Panel (ETP).

The CWAP will continue to broker employment and training partnerships among labor, industry, and government to assist California employers, unions, and workers in developing targeted high-road training projects for specific industries and regions in the State. The conference will address specific issues about rapid response under the Workforce Investment Act, fiscal responsibility, ETP, and will feature presentations from current partnership programs regarding best practices.

The JTPD encourages you to send PIC labor representatives to the California Labor Federation, AFL-CIO, Workers' Assistance Program conference that will be held on May 8-11, 2000, at the Riviera Hotel in Palm Springs, California.

The SDAs are encouraged to pay the travel and expenses for the PIC labor representative attendees from your State Approved Local Training funds.

If you have any questions, please contact Barry J. Lacey, at (916) 653-4043.

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